GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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POLICE PARTICIPATON IN RURAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether emphasis has been given on police participation in rural development schemes in the meeting recently held between various police officers and the officers of the Union Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any resolution for central assistance for the terrorist affected States has been passed in the said meeting;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the reaction of the Union Government?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) & (b): 41st Ds GP/IsGP Conference was held in November, 2006 to discuss various security related issues. While the issue of police participation in rural development schemes was not discussed in the meeting; the role of police in ensuring a secure environment necessary for development was emphasized.

(c) to (e): The States are given by the Central Government need based deployment of CPMs, India Reserve Battalions, intelligence inputs and necessary funds for modernization of their State Police, strengthening of coastal security and development of border areas.